Royalty on Crude to Gujarat

2175. SHRI VITHALBHAI M. PATEL:
SHRI SARADA MOHANTY:
SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA:
SHRIMATI MIRA DAS:

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received a request from the Government of Gujarat for calculating the rate of royalty on crude oil for each financial year on the basis of previous financial year's average net back value and has demanded that the rate of royalty on crude oil should be minimum 20 per cent;

(b) whether it is a fact that the two-member committee appointed by the Government to examine the rate of royalty on crude oil and natural gas has submitted its report;

(c) if so, by when Government propose to implement the recommendations of the above Committee; and

(d) what is the rate of royalty on crude oil demanded by the State Government?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) to (d) A Committee was constituted to examine the various issues pertaining to revision in the rate of royalty on crude oil and natural gas for the period beyond 31.3.1990. The report of the Committee is under examination of the Government.

हजीरा-बिजयपुर-जगदीशपुर पाइपलाइन के माध्यम से गैस का आवंटन

2176. **श्रीमती वीणा वर्मा:**
कुमारी सईदा खातून:
श्री कपिल वर्मा:

क्या पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) क्या हजीरा-बिजयपुर-जगदीशपुर गैस पाइप-लाइन के माध्यम से गैस की आपूर्ति की जा रही है; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो इसका राज्यवार आवंटन कितना-कितना है?

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री (श्री बी० शंकरानन्द): (क) जी, हां।

(ख) विभिन्न राज्यों में स्थापित की जाने वाली विभिन्न परियोजनाओं को गैस का आवंटन किया गया है जो निम्नानुसार है:—

राज्य	मात्रा (एम०एम०एस०सी०एम०डी०)
गुजरात	2.65
एम०पी०	4.6
राजस्थान	3.8
यू०पी०	17.33
दिल्ली	2.93
हरियाणा	2.79

Scarcity of Kerosene in Orissa

@2177. SHRI JAGADISH JANI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there is a severe scarcity of Kerosene in Orissa;

(b) whether it is due to the increase of black marketing of kerosene in that state;

(c) whether the allocation made to Orissa is also very inadequate;

(d) if so, the steps proposed to be taken to increase the allocation of kerosene to Orissa in 1992;

(e) the instructions given to the State of Orissa to check the black marketing; and

(f) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) to (f) Kerosene is allocated to all the States keeping in view the product availability and the past allocations. Allocations is 1992-93 will depend on availability from indigenous sources and imports. The state Government are expected to take necessary action under the relevant laws to check black-marketing.

2178. *[Transferred to the 26th March, 1992]*

@Previously Unstarred' Question 1210 transferred from 5th March 1992.